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Application No. 10/786,652 ) Group Art Unit: 1751  
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FOR: "SULFONATED CONDUCTING POLYMER- )  
GRAFTED CARBON MATERIAL FOR FUEL )  
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**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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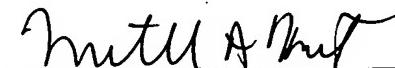
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Consideration of the cited documents and making the same of record in the prosecution of the above-referenced application are respectfully requested.

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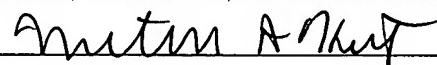


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TABLE 1. U.S. Office Actions

TAB NO.	APPLICATION NO.	DOCUMENT	DATE	N&R REFERENCE NO.
1	10/445,090	Response to Office Action	09/05/2006	03234.0017U2
2	10/654,234	Request for Continued Examination	09/05/2006	03234.0021U1